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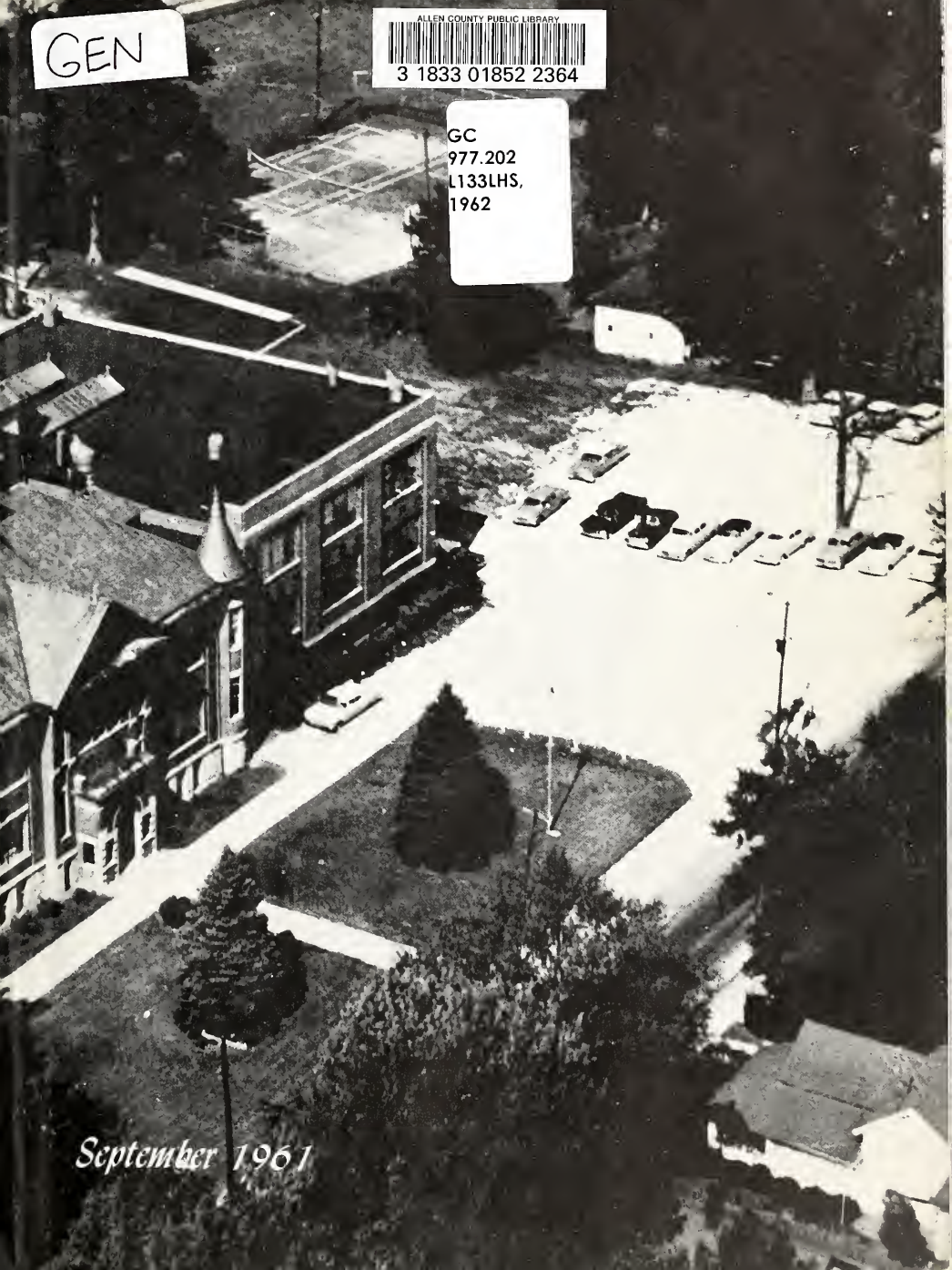

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The 1962 Lacohi

La Fontaine High School

La Fontaine, Indiana

Mrs. Harold Atkinson,
Secretary

SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

METRO. SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WABASH CO.
Board of Education

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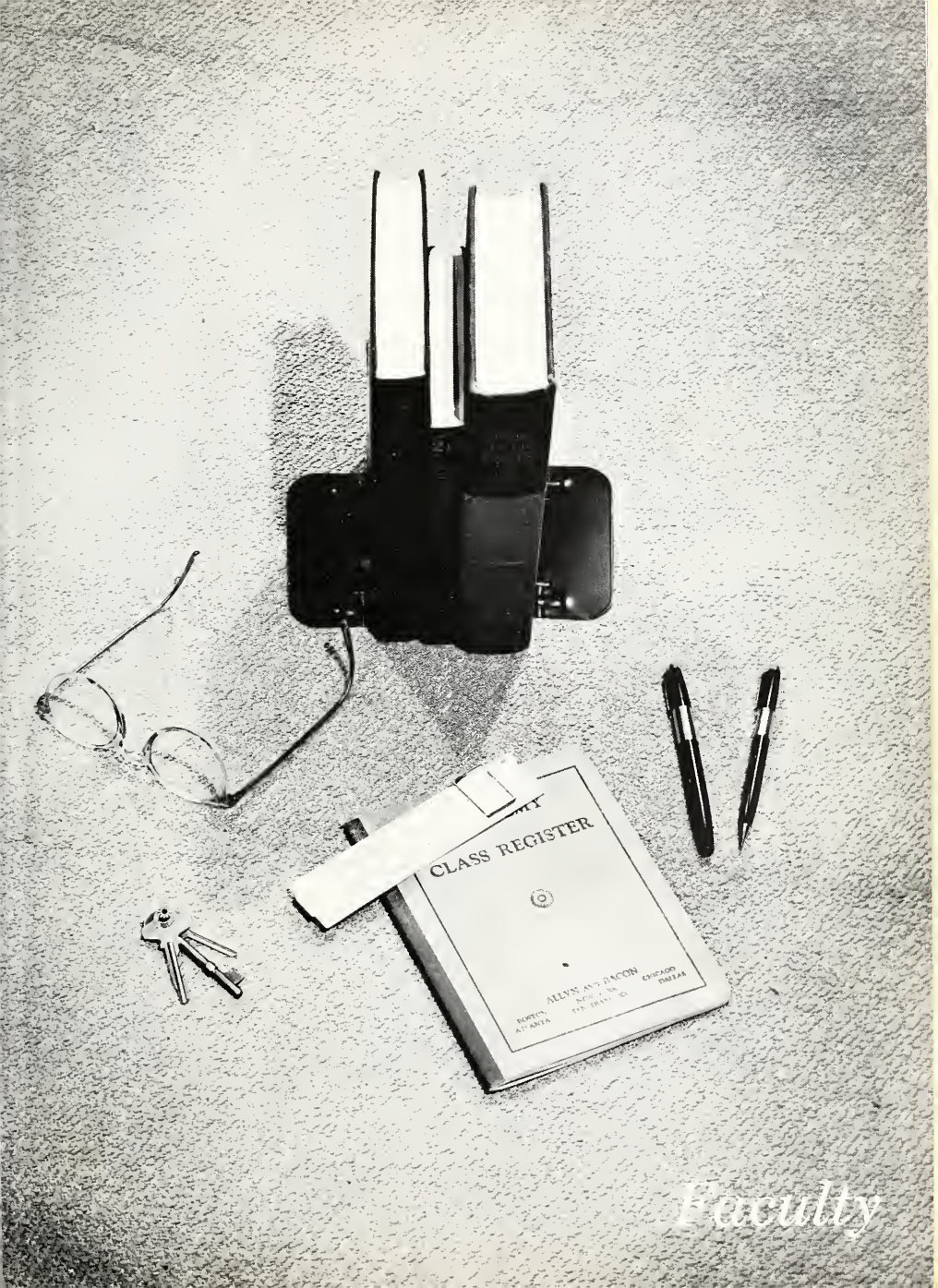
son, Glenn Cox, Charles Tiede, Attorney.

Mrs. Helen Graham,
Bookkeeper


CLASS REGISTER
ALLYN AND BACON
BOSTON
ATLANTA
CHICAGO
DALLAS

Faculty

The Principal's Message

This has indeed been a unique year for La Fontaine High School. It was to have been the final year for our high school since all Liberty Township students are to attend Southwood Junior-Senior High School next year. Then came the fire which destroyed our building with all its pictures, books, and mementoes.

In American history, this will probably be known as the John Glenn year, but for all of us of LaFontaine, 1961-62 will be remembered as the year of the FIRE.

We are so thankful for the wonderful cooperation of C. O. Duker, principal of Noble High School. He and his faculty made it possible for us to complete the school year without interruption. We also appreciate the sacrifices made by our faculty and our five hundred and five students.

We trust that all of us who have worked to satisfy educational needs will not have worked in vain. Time will tell whether the ideas and deeds of those who come after us will justify our faith in the future.

Ira R. McClurg

Faculty

VERL WOODRING
History
Biology
Civics
Marion College
Ball State

JOAN McKEE
Home Economics
Physical Education
Health
Indiana State

ROBERT HUMBERT
Physics
Chemistry
Mathematics
Ball State

MARIE ROMINE
Commerce
Librarian
Manchester College
Ball State

REX PRICE
English
Social Studies
Manchester College
Ball State

NANCY LUTZ
English
Marion College
Ball State

BOBB KEAFFABER
Band Director
Music
Manchester College
Ball State

ANN OWEN
French
English
Ball State

MORTON ELLIS
Arithmetic
Social Studies
Manchester College
Ball State

JERRY SHAW: Coach, Physical Education, Drivers Training; Ball State.

Special Services

Back: James Wright, Allen Siders. Front: Gordon Guenin, Tommy Templton, Wayne Heath.

Lunch Assistants: Larry Howell, Dana Stevens, Allen Siders.

Mrs. Benbow, Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. Large, Mrs. Brewer, Mrs. McCoy.

Clerk: Mrs. Silvers

Dick Pogue, Bert Matthews

Back, left to right: Harold Jones, Gerald Lines. Front: Herb Enyeart, Charles Cross. Drivers not shown: Louman Sutton, Jack Brewer.

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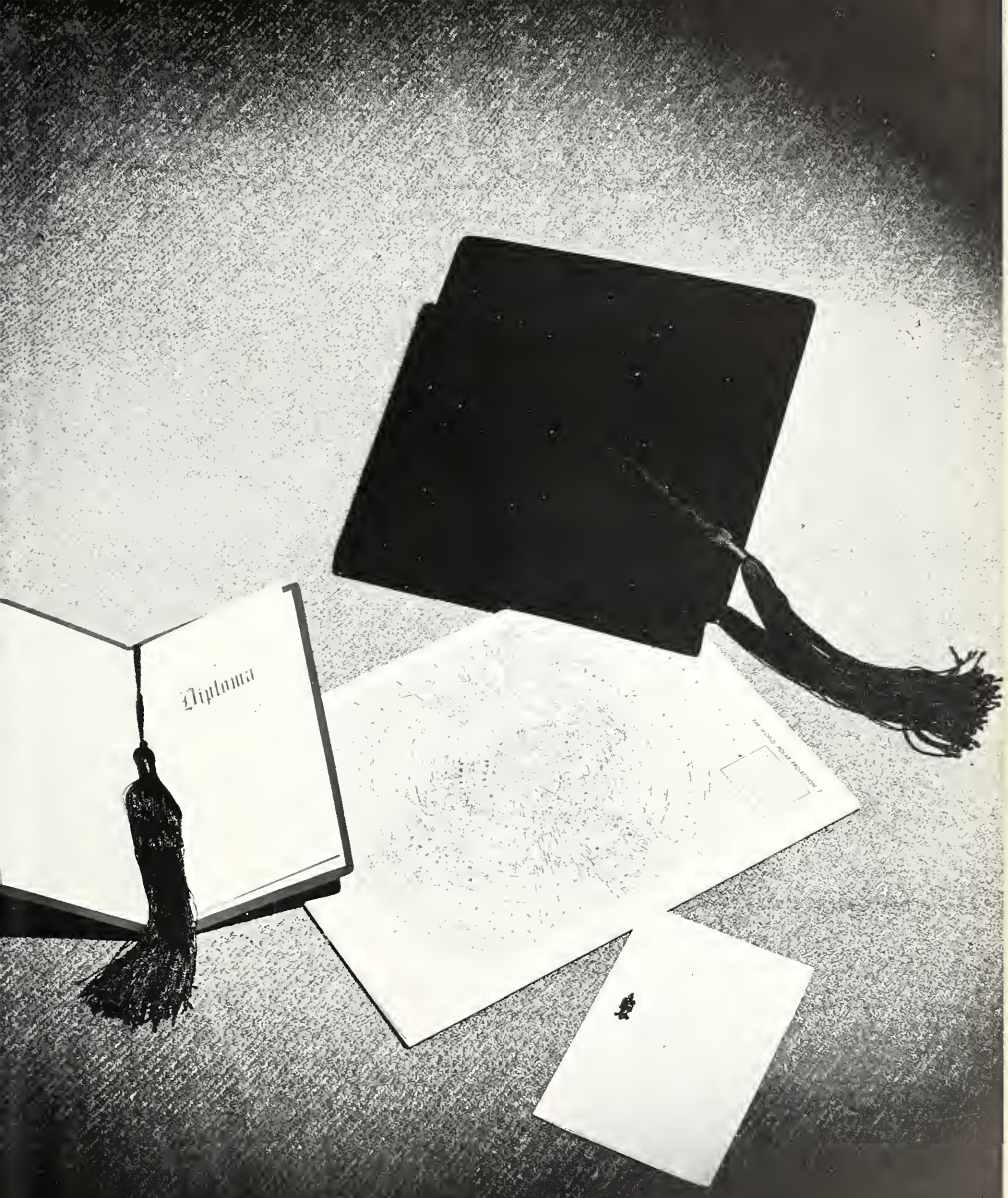
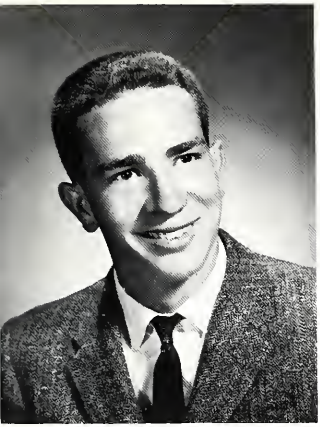


Seniors

In Memoriam

Richard A. Stevens

To know Dick was to admire him for his cheerfulness, his humor and his courageous spirit. His death on May 27 came as a surprise and was a great loss to us all.

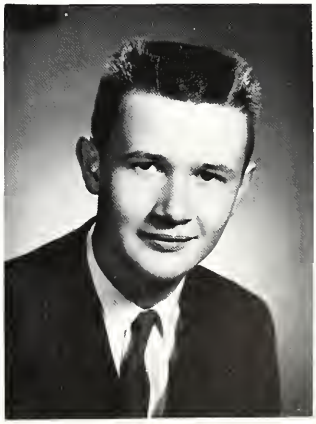


Oren Guenin - President

Basketball 1,2,3,4
Track 1,2,3
Cross Country 2,3
Baseball 1,2,3,4
Band 1,2,3,4, Officer 4
Class Officer 3,4
Student Council 1
Chorus 2,3,4, Officer 4
Booster Club 1
Plays 3,4
Band Ensembles 1,2,3,4
Dramatics Club 4
Spanish Club 2,3
LaCoHi Staff 3,4
Volleyball 3,4

Becky Weaver - Treasurer

Citizen Staff 4
LaCoHi Staff 4
Plays 3,4
Office Help 2,3
Booster Club 1,2,3,4
Chorus 1,2,3,4
F.B.L.A. 4
French Club 4
Volleyball 1,2,3,4
Class Officer 4
Dramatics Club 4
Lunchroom Help 2

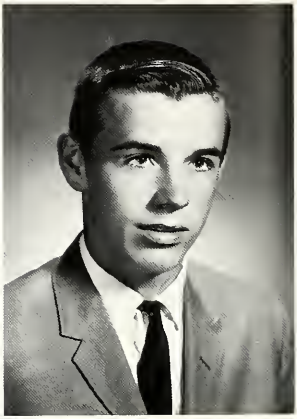


Phil Nelson - Vice-President

Class Officer 4
Booster Club 1,2,3
Student Manager 1
Volleyball 1,2

Rich Guenin

Class Play 3
Basketball 1,2,3,4
Baseball 1,2,3,4
Track 1,2,3,4
Ping Pong 1,2,3,4
Volleyball 1,2,3,4
Chorus 4
Cross Country 1,2,3,4



Trina Clouser

Plays 3,4
Booster Club 2,3,4
Booster Club Officer 4
Citizen Staff 4
LaCoHi Staff 4
Chorus 1,2,3,4
F.B.L.A
Volleyball 2,3,4
Dramatics Club 4

Jerry Benbow

Morris Smedley - Secretary

Basketball 1,2,3,4
Baseball 1,2
Track 1,2,3,4
Volleyball 1,2,3,4
Chorus 2,3,4
Class Officer 2,3,4
F.B.L.A. Club 4
LaCoHi Staff 4
Booster Club 1
Cross Country 2,3

Judie Gilbert

Band 1,2,3,4
Chorus 1,2,3,4
Ensembles 1,2,3,4
Booster Club 1,2,3,4
Majorette 3,4
Twirler 1,2
Spanish Club 2,3
Student Council 1,2
Student Council Officer 1,2
Class Officer 1
D.A.R. Good Citizen 4
F.B.L.A. 4
Dramatics Club 4
High Salesmen 4
Citizen Staff 1,2,4
LaCoHi Staff 3,4
Dance Band 1,3,4
Volleyball 1,2,3,4
Plays 3,4
Contest Accompanist 2,3,4

Tom Rigney

Basketball 1,2,3,4
Baseball 1,2,3,4
Track 1,2,3
Student Council 2
Band 1,2,3,4
Chorus 2,3,4
Volleyball 1,2,3,4
Class Officer 1,2,3
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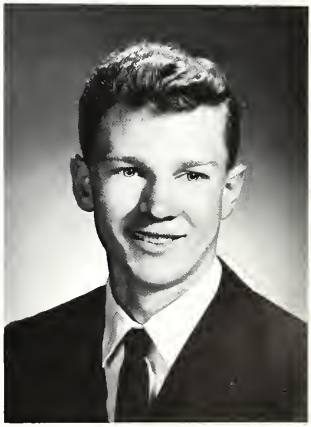
Class Play 3
Small Band 3
LaCoHi Staff 3,4
Editor of LaCoHi 4
Citizen Staff 2



James Gribben

Basketball 1,2
Baseball 1
Booster Club 1,2,3,4
Volleyball 1,2,3
Track 1,2,3,4
Cross Country 1,2

Carolyn Keene

Chorus 1,2,3,4
Class Play 4
French Club
F.B L. A.
Queen Attendant 4
Booster Club 1,2,3,4
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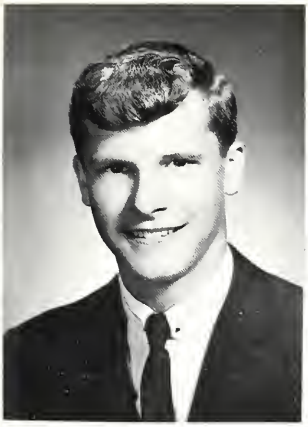
Citizen Staff 4

Larry Dailey

Booster Club 1,2,3,4



Steve Mills

Class Officer 2, 3
Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 3, 4
Chorus 3, 4, Officer 3, 4
Citizen Staff 2, 3, 4
LaCoHi Staff 3, 4
School Photographer 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 2, 3
Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4
Cross Country 2, 3
Booster Club 1
Class Play 3
Small Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Spanish Club 2, 3

Barbara Brown

Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Twirler 2, 3, 4
Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4
Queen Attendant 3
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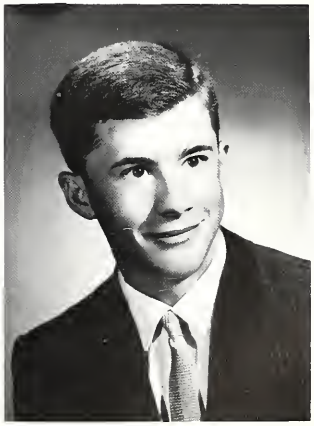
Cheerleader 4
Concession Stand Manager 4
Lunchroom Help 2
Booster Club 1, 2, 3
Plays 3, 4



John Hacker

Basketball 1, 2
Track 1, 2
Volleyball 1, 2, 3
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Chorus 3
Small Band 4
Class Play 4
Booster Club 4

Glen Graham

Student Council 3,4
Annual Staff 3,4
Baseball 1,2,3,4
Citizen Staff 3,4
Booster Club 1,3,4
Basketball 2
Track 2
Class Salutatorian
Science Award
History Award
Typing Award

Patricia Gribben

F.B.L.A.
F.B.L.A. Officer 4
Citizen Staff 3,4
Annual Staff 4
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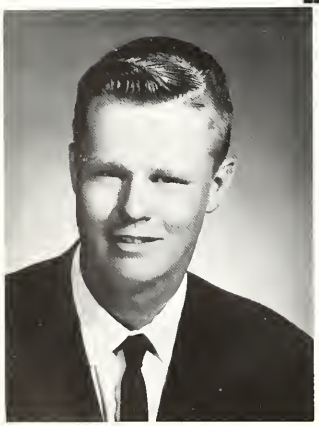
Chorus 1,2,3,4
Volleyball 2,3,4



Dean Enyeart

Booster Club 1,2,3,4
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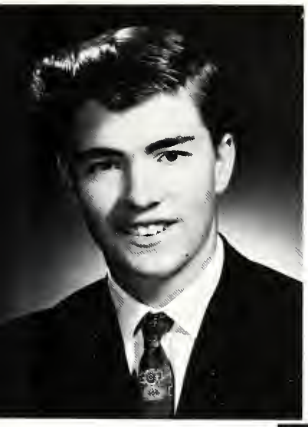
Spanish Club 2,3
Class Play 4
Class Valedictorian
Mathematics Award
Typing Award



Larry Cochran

Track 1,2
Booster Club 4

Mary Ann Sutton

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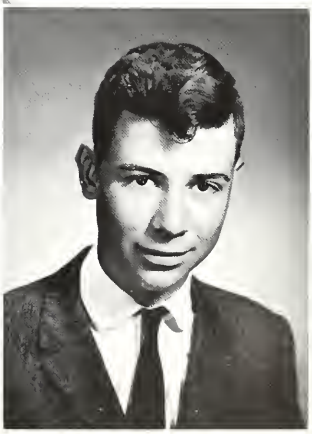
Volleyball 1,2
Senior Play 4
Dramatics Club 4



Richard Speicher

Basketball 1,2
Track 1,2
Chorus 3,4
Band 1,2,3,4
Dance Band 1,2,3,4
Student Manager 3,4

Fred Wright

Plays 3
Booster Club 2, 3, 4
Class Officer 2
Basketball 3

Peggy Shaver

Basketball Queen 4
Basketball Queen
Attendant 1
Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Freshman Yell Leader 1
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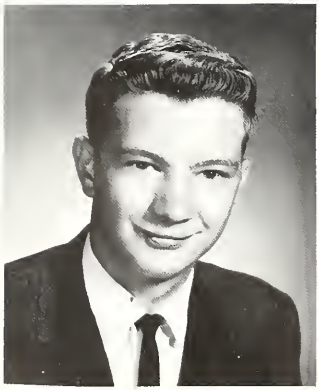
Citizen Staff 1, 4
LaCoHi Staff 4
F.B.L.A. Club Reporter 4
Office Girl 3, 4



Joe Cross

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Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Band Officer 3
Chorus 2, 3, 4
Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4
Small Band 3, 4
Student Council 4
Student Council Officer 4
F.B.L.A. 4
Class Play 4
LaCoHi Staff 4
Booster Club 1

Mrs. Bonnie Faust

Senior Class

CLASS MOTTO:	Those who plant thorns should not expect to gather roses.
CLASS FLOWER:	Red Roses
CLASS COLORS:	Red and White
CLASS SPONSORS:	Mr. Ira McClurg and Mr. Jerry Shaw

About Seventeen Years Ago

TLR

PJS

OSG

LDD

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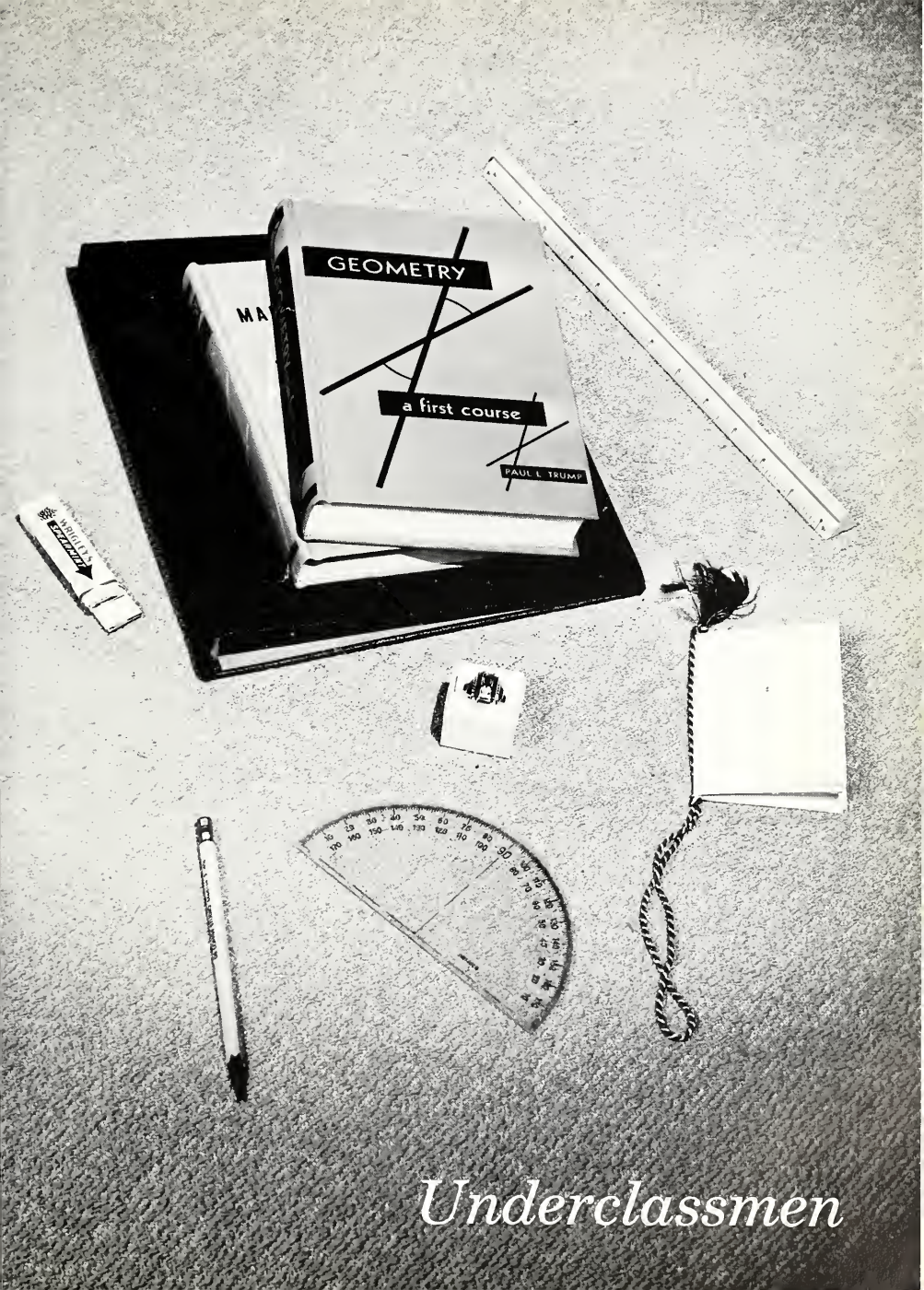

Underclassmen

Juniors

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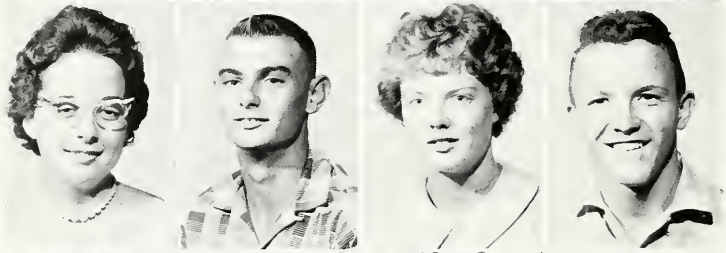
John Kroft



Doris Cecil
Bill Welch
Bonnie Clark
Bill Saul

Connie Jones
Jim Goodpasture
Jean Collins
Larry Music

Nancy McCray
Bob McClurg
Ginny Enyeart
Jay Davis

Mike Fites
Connie Ramsey
Carol Lloyd

Juniors

John Harper
Judy Rife
John McCracken
Clarissa Himelick

Sharon Fetrow
Lee Guyer
Marsha Gilpin
Corky Hendricks

Janet Johnson
Mona Davis
Charles Rapp
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Larry Enyeart
Joyce Haggerty
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Sherry Brown

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Sophomores

John Johnson
Jane Harper
Glen Guenin
Sherry Tyler
Kent Fites

Chester King
Mary Hollenback
Junior Pickering
Pamela Thompson
Max Courtney

Jim McCoy
Marjorie Wearly
Dick Pogue
Judy Bruner
Dale Silvers

Janie Collins
Mike Emrick
Nannette Bechtol
Charles Cable
Nancy Lawrence

Claudia Stoner
Charles Sutton

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Sophomores

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June Harper

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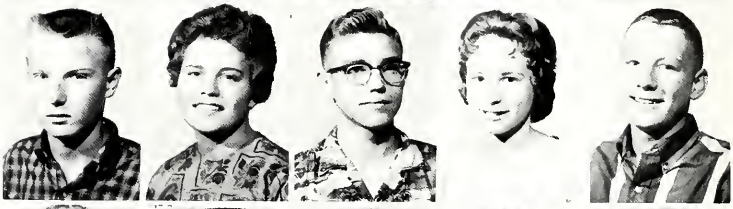
Robert Benner
Brenda Jackson
Charles Boswell



Doralie Forbes
Jim Cochran
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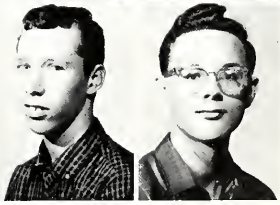
John Petro
Dennis Cole



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Robin McGinnis
Howard Martin

Barbara McCracken
Larry Robinson
Cindy King
Glenus Martin
Jean Guenin

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Roy Davis
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Robert Keiffer
Phyllis Replogle

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Beth Young

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Freshmen

Bonnie Campbell
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Jerrold Brown
Jim Lewis
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Judy Darnell
Galen Clark
Deanna Clark

Robert Martin
Debbie Johnson
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Mary Lou Cox
Dan Glover

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Linda Lobdell
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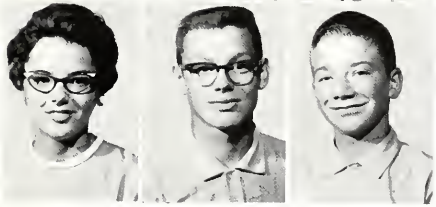
Phil Lloyd



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Lon Vandegrift
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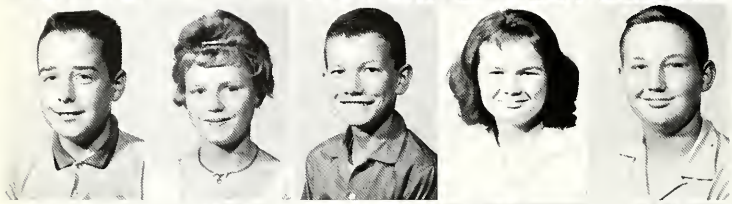

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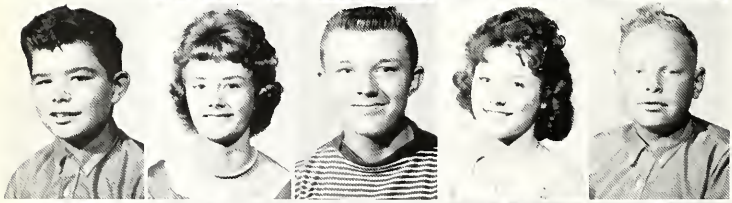
Pamela Martin
Ronnie Friermood
Mary Joe Hebert



Michael Mahan
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Randy Chekouras
Carol Benbow
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Connie Bogue

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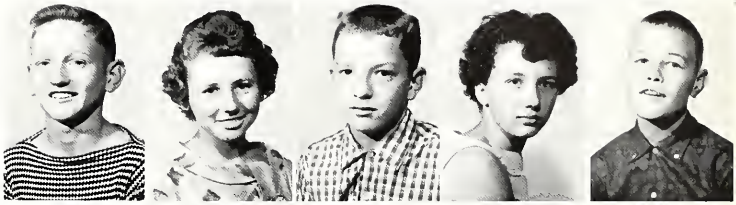
Margaret Pilgrim
Garry Brown



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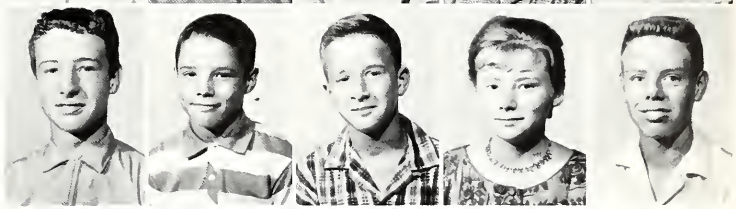

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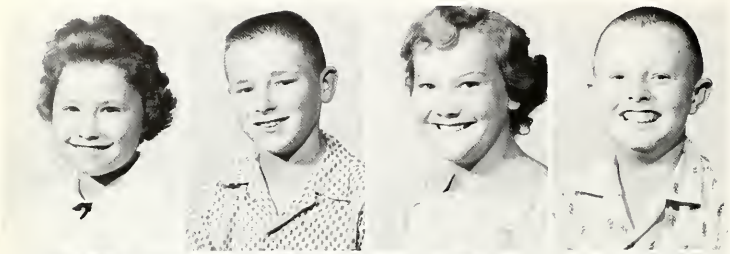

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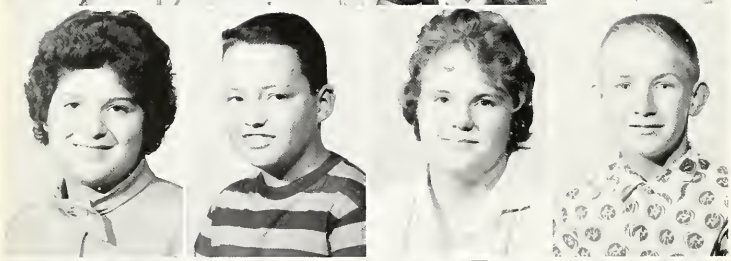

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Mike Hebert
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Thomas Clark
Doreen Forbes

Brenda Haggerty
Carla Cross
Mary Glover

Seventh Grade

Gordon Guenin
Sheila Hendricks
Loren Large
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Karen Working
Mike Faust
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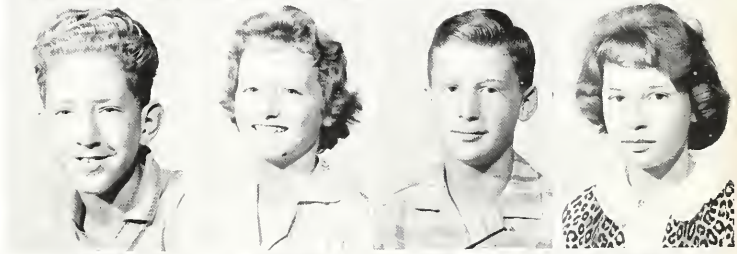

Loreen Cooper
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Carol McCoy
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Bobby Goodpasture
Judy Pilgrim
Bill Bragg
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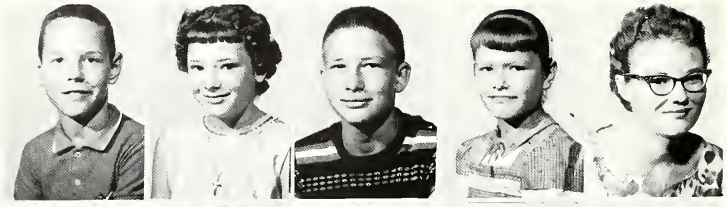

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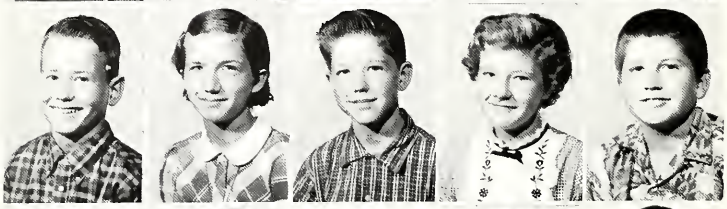

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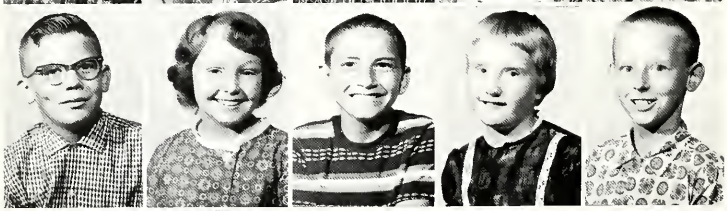

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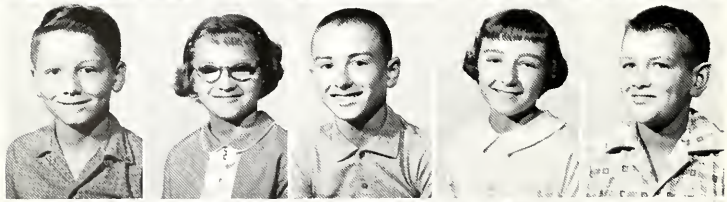

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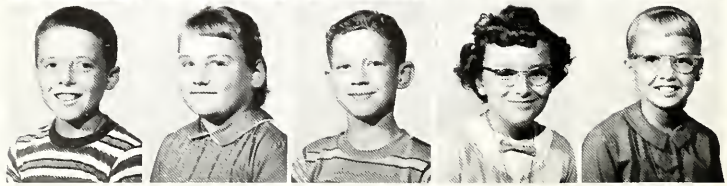

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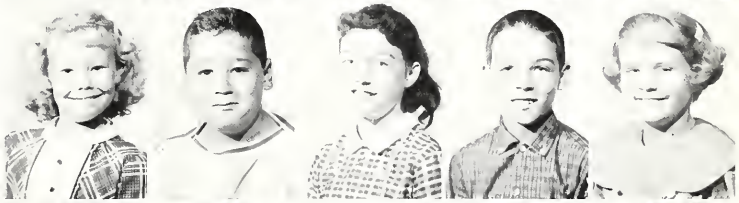

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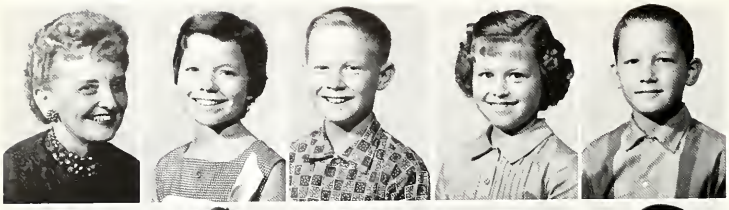

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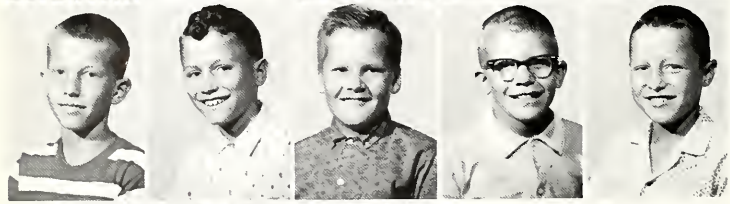

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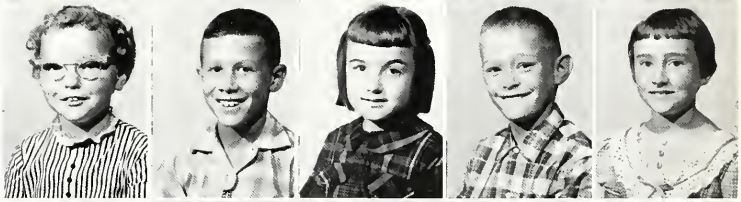

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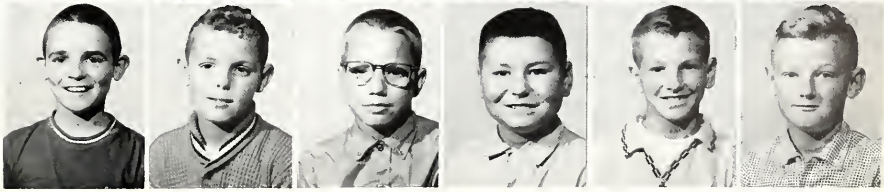

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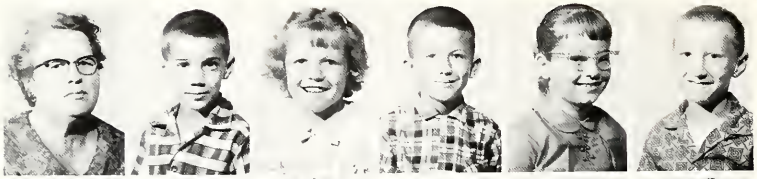

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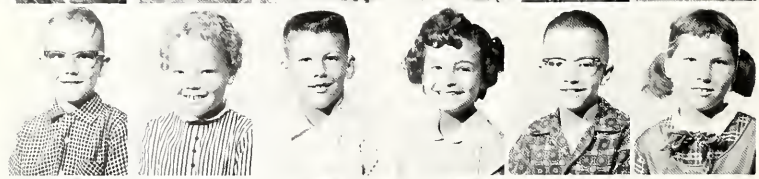

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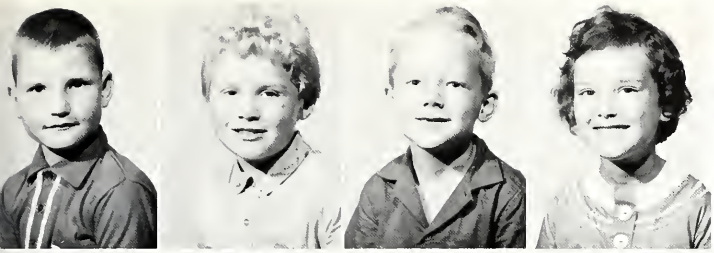

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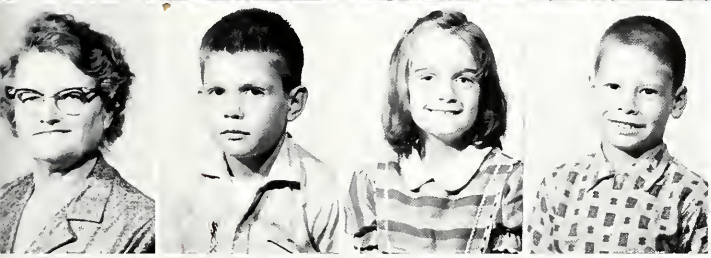

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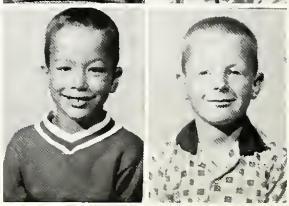

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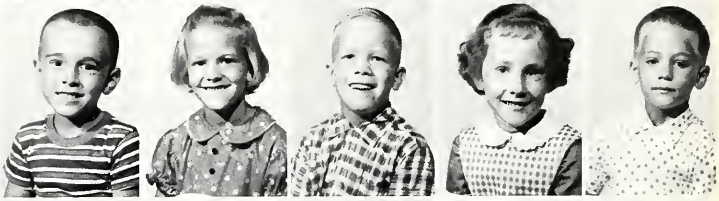

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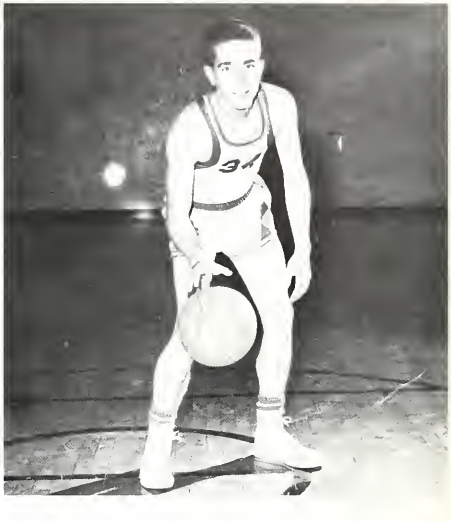

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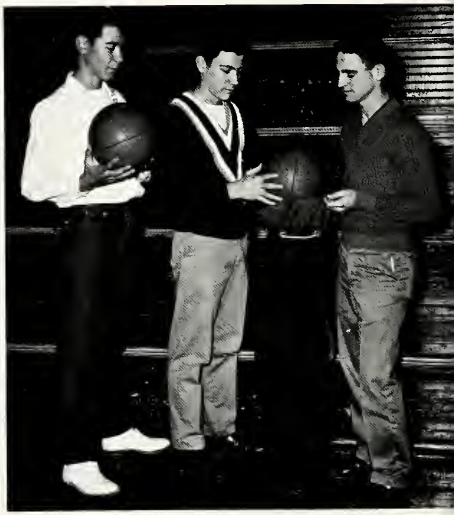

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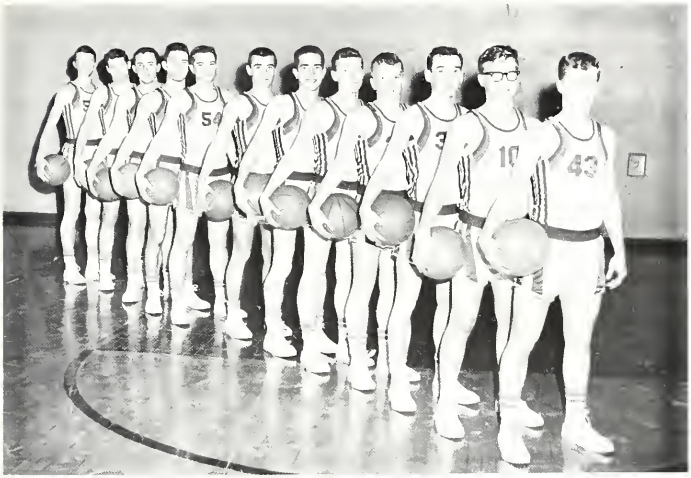

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"B" Team

Top Row: Larry Wright, Dennis Cole, Glen Martin, Larry Robinson. Bottom Row: Dan Glover, Galen Clark, Phil Lloyd, Junior Pickering, Roy Davis.

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Freshman Team

Cheerleaders: Ann Martin, Judy Darnell, Jean Guenin, Robin McGinnis. Front Row: Jim Lewis, Bruce Kilty, Larry Robinson, Dewon Webb, Bob Keiffer, Phil Lloyd, Dean Speicher. Top Row: Rex Price, Tim Bogue, Dan Glover, Glen Martin, Roy Davis.

Baseball

Bottom Row: Glen Graham, Tom Rigney, Richy Guenin, Steve Mills, Oren Guenin, Mike Fites, Dale Silvers, Jerry Shaw. Top Row: Glen Martin, Corky Hendricks, Mike Emerick, Dick Pogue, Bill Heath, Dennis Cole, Bob McClurg, Robert Benner, Sam Faust.

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Track

First Row: Jerry Shaw, Tom Rigney, Rich Guenin, Jim Gribben, Steve Mills, Joe Cross, Morris Smedley, Oren Guenin, Mike Fites, Mr. Ellis. Second Row: Corky Hendricks, Stan Gilbert, Mike Emrick, Dick Pogue, Bill Heath, Max Courtney, Larry McCallum, Robert Benner, John Harper. Third Row: Bill Lewis, Larry Robinson, Bruce Kilty, Galen Clark, Larry Wright, Dennis Cole, Jay Davis, Bob McClurg, Dale Silvers.

Cross Country

First Row: Rich Guenin, Larry McCallum, Jerry Shaw, Dale Silvers. Second Row: Dick Pogue, Stan Gilbert, Larry Wright, Galen Clark.

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Lion's Club Sportsmanship Award Winners

1953 . . . . . .John Gillespie
1954 . . . . . .Jerry Shaw
1955 . . . . . .Don Rapp
1956 . . . . . .Lewis Martin
1957 . . . . . .John Brane
1958 . . . . . .Bob Stewart
1959 . . . . . .Bill Silvers
1960 . . . . . .Bill Geiger
1961 . . . . . .Jim Large
1962 . . . . . .Tom Rigney

This award is given on the achievement in four fields. They are as follows: Scholarship, Leadership, Sportsmanship, and Citizenship.

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La Fontaine High School

72 Years of Service to Wabash County

Those of us who have enjoyed the privilege of being associated with LaFontaine will remember it as one of those rare institutions where geography, tradition and personnel combined to create a truly fine school. A stable community meant that a student could continue his education without the constant interruptions of changing schools. An overwhelming majority of good citizens gave solid support to sensible educational policies which kept pace with modern practice while retaining the best of the older values. Finally, a cheerful, well-ordered and enthusiastic student body maintained a school spirit which demanded outstanding achievement and frequently obtained it.

Who will forget . . .

The LaFontaine band playing the school song in a standing-room-only gymnasium . . .

The Booster Club, in white blouses and shirts, cheering wildly in the closing seconds of a double-overtime basketball game . . .

Eighth-graders making leaf collections worth an "A" in a college class . . .

Teachers who taught 55 years at LaFontaine . . .

Juniors who did without their annual Christmas gift exchange, giving presents instead to others less fortunate than themselves . . .

The atmosphere as the school sings Silent Night, just before Christmas vacation . . .

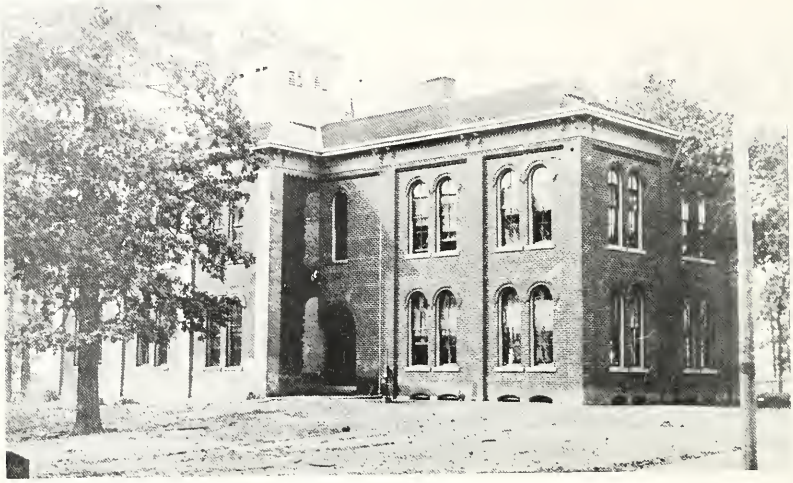
Who shall say where the influence of a good school ends? LaFontaine graduates have gone on to a variety of careers which defies cataloguing and extends into thirty-odd states and several foreign countries. Represented are such diverse groups as farmers, housewives, aeronautical engineers, doctors, pilots, truck drivers, educators, well-drillers, morticians, foreign service officers and purchasing agents, to name only a handful.

LaFontaine people have served their country faithfully in its wars; some have given their lives in such places as Bataan, others even now guard our frontiers, including those in the Strategic Air Command.

The historical committee is grateful to the scores of individuals who made available photographs, records and information for this section, and we regret the inevitable omissions and errors.

- - - Robert Humbert

First Building on Present Site 1876



New School Building 1908

Rear View of School

School Hacks–Old and New

America and Ashland

The town plat of America was recorded October 16, 1837, Jesse D. Scott and Elihu Garrison being its proprietors. It was located on the Marion and Lagro road. Both of the proprietors were pioneers of the White Water Valley, and were political rivals in county politics.

Being on the direct route along which much of the grain trade of North-Central Indiana passed for years to the Wabash and Erie Canal, the proprietors and citizens of America had great expectations for the future of their town. And for more than two decades their hopes seemed to be founded on solid ground.

In 1850 the old Marion and Lagro road, was laid with planks, which further emphasized America's prominence as compared with Daniel Grant's upstart Ashland (La Fontaine), a mile to the southwest. From 1850 to 1860 America reflected the even greater glory of Lagro, and Ashland was in almost total eclipse.

When, in the late '60s, it became evident that Ashland was to get a railroad connection through the Cincinnati, Wabash and Michigan, America's sun began to set. The line was completed to Ashland in 1873, and in 1881 even the post office was discontinued at America.

Settlement

In the autumn of 1834, William Grant, Daniel Grant and Smith Grant, with their families, settled in the forests of Liberty Township. William Grant settled at the eastern line of the Indian Reserve, and is said to have built the first house in Liberty Township on the northern bank of Grant Creek, in September, 1834, near the present town of La Fontaine. Mahlon Pearson settled here soon after Mr. Grant.

The first marriage performed in the township was that of Henry Hummill to Maria Grant, daughter of William Grant, in August, 1835.

The first man to die in Liberty Township was Charles Scott, father of Reverend Jesse D. Scott and the grandfather of Mahlon Pearson. He died at America in 1839, at the age of seventy-five.

The first native-born white child was Malvina Grant.

Township and Religion

Liberty Township embraces about forty-eight square miles in the southeastern corner of Wabash County, being substantially eight miles from east to west and six miles from north to south. It is on the whole, a level and fertile region, depending for its drainage upon the headwaters of Treaty and Deer creeks, which flow northward into the Wabash and Salamonie, respectively, and upon the Mississinewa River and its branch, Grant Creek, which meander through its central and southwestern sections. Josina Creek has some of its headwaters in the southwestern corner of the township, after which it takes a loop through northern Grant County and joins the Mississinewa River in the southwestern corner of Liberty Township. It was near its mouth that the Indian Village stood which was destroyed by Lieutenant Colonel Campbell in the War of 1812.

After 1835 the settlers no longer felt so lonely; in fact, the accessions of population became so frequent that the citizens, who had been relying on the civil and judicial authorities of Lagro Township, asked for a separate organization. At the March term of the board of county commissioners for 1836, Liberty Township was laid off from the south end of Lagro with an area of sixty-four square miles, or eight miles square. At the time its northern boundary was a mile north of Lincolnville and a mile south of New Holland. Some years afterward two northern tiers of eight sections each were cut off and returned to Lagro.

When the township was set off, an election was ordered at the house of William Grant on the first Monday of April, 1836, for the selection of one justice of the peace. William R. Hall was appointed inspector of elections and William Garrison was chosen justice. The number of votes at this election was nineteen.

House-raisings and log-rollings brought the settlers together often; sometimes the talk would turn to high and low tariff; but generally the conversation was upon religious topics, many of them having a Testament in their pocket for reference as an end to a controversy.

The first religious meeting held in Liberty Township was at the cabin of William Grant by Elder Daniel Jackson, the widely known preacher of the Disciples of Christ, who was living west of Wabash. These services were held in 1835. On August 4, 1836, eight members of that denomination organized the noted Boundary Church. The organization took place at the house of William Grant by Elder Jackson and Elder Jefferson Matlock, in what is now La Fontaine. The meetings were at first held in Mr. Grant's house and afterward in the schoolhouse that stood on the site of the church finally built for the society, a mile and a half north of La Fontaine, at the east side of the old Indian boundary line and nearly at the geographical center of the township.

Schools

Although a room in William Grant's double log house is said to have been used as a gathering place for a few children, who were taught the rudiments of learning some time in 1837, perhaps the first regular house dedicated to education was that mentioned as the meeting place of the Disciples. It was built largely by the supporters of the church, and the first teacher to hold forth was James Dicken, afterward a practicing physician. Nathaniel McKimmey was also a teacher, as well as Miss Nancy McKimmey and David I. Jackson.

Mrs. Jonathan Scott, whose mother was a daughter of Mahlon Pearson, claimed that the first school was taught in a cabin built by Ferree, north of America on the old state road, in 1836-37, by George W. Smith, and that she was one of the pupils. She added that the first schoolhouse was built at America in 1837, and that she attended it in the summer of that year. Mr. Smith was its teacher also, and the Grant children were among his pupils.

The first regular schoolhouse is thought to have been a small pole-cabin with eight or ten feet out at one end for a chimney, with a huge back wall and dirt jambs, situated a mile and a half north of La Fontaine, which was built in 1839 or 1840.

When the legal school system went into operation, the settlers tried to avail themselves of its advantages and to act under its provisions so far as within their power. But the facts that the people were so poor and the settlements so square, that the roads were so wretched that the school fund was so small, that good houses could not be had and good teachers (except now and then there was one) were not in the county, made upward progress in education very slow.

The Hackleman schoolhouse was built after a regular school system had been set in operation. One of the most important old-time schools was that of Mr. Stone's. The house was built in 1837, Moses Wellman taught two schools there, and George McNeal taught the third school. In 1865, 1866 and 1867, Lorenzo Tucker taught three schools in succession, and his school was so excellent that the young people came from the adjourning districts. During one winter he had from seventy to eighty pupils.

The school building erected in 1876 at a cost of $6,000 stood in a splendid grove, northwest of the main part of the town. It was made of brick and two stories high having three rooms.

In 1908 the Liberty Township school was erected at a cost of $22,000. In proportion to its population and wealth, no township had better educational facilities than Liberty Township.

High School Orchestra - 1927

Domestic Science Class - 1921

Very early faculty (no date) - Mr. Albaugh, Miss Hubbard, Mr. Garrison, Mr. Martin, Miss Wingard, Miss Applegate, Miss Keller, Miss Pearson, Miss Stephens, Miss Hill, Miss Bruner.

Faculty Members and Officials
Liberty Township School

Bruce Abernathy, principal '08, high school teacher '23
Hester Abbott, elementary teacher '13, '14
Marion Acton, High school teacher (shop, driver training and phys. ed.) '54, '55, '56
Carl Albaugh, principal '24, '25, '26
Ernest Alexander, elementary teacher '11, '12
William Alexander, high school teacher (science and mathematics) '51
Frank Allen, high school teacher (mathematics and social studies) '48
Valette Applegate, music and art teacher '24, '25
Calvin Asbury, elementary teacher '89
James Badger, elementary teacher '13
Kitty Bannister, elementary teacher '10, '11, '12, '14, '15
Myrtle Bantham, elementary teacher '14, '15, '16
Irene Barcus, music teacher '13, '15, '16, '17
Isobel Baxter, high school teacher (home economics, health and English) '47, '48
Martin Beckham, high school teacher '24
Winifred Berlien, high school teacher (mathematics) '42
Sarah Bichacoff, elementary teacher '25
Hobart Black, principal, high school teacher (mathematics) '44, '45
H. U. Blood, trustee '05, '07, '08
Marjorie Bothias, elementary teacher '29
Marjorie Botkins, elementary teacher '30
Mary Bowman, elementary teacher, '26
Thomas Bowman, high school teacher (commerce and social studies) '47, '48, '49, '50, '51 principal '52, '53, '54
Alva Brane, elementary teacher '05, '07, '08
Verla Brane, elementary teacher '10, '11, '12, '13
Francis Elizabeth Brazeal, high school teacher (mathematics and physical education) '39
Fred Brinker, high school teacher (commerce, social studies, physical education, mathematics and science) '46, '47, '48
Bertha Brittingham, high school teacher (mathematics and physical education) '47
Joanna Brubaker, elementary teacher '39
Margaret Brubaker, elementary teacher '32, '33, '34
Anna Bruner, elementary teacher '89, '05, '06, '07, '08, '09, '10, '11, '12, '13, '14, '15, '16, '17, '18, '19, '20, '21, '22, '23, '24, '25, '26, '27, '28, '29, '30, '31, '32, '33, '34, '35, '36, '37, '38, '39
Patricia Castle, elementary teacher '57
Doris D. Chance, high school teacher (commerce and physical education) '46
Minnie Clark, elementary teacher '05
Olive E. Clark, elementary teacher '28, '29
Lena Clauve, art teacher '16
Mrs. E. A. Click, music and art teacher '26
Ethel Conkling, high school teacher '32
Jacqueline Coons, high school teacher (commerce) '51
Richard Corle, high school teacher (band and music) '55, '56
Janis Cramer, high school teacher (home economics, physical education and science) '49
Lola Crawley, elementary teacher '14
Cora Critchlow, elementary teacher '05, '07, '08, '22
Lola Critchlow, elementary teacher '14
Meda Critchlow, elementary teacher '05, '07
Bertha Cullar, art teacher '51, '52
Bernice Day, elementary teacher '46, '47
Caroline Deckard, high school teacher (English) '51, '52, '53, '54
Earl Delph, high school teacher, coach '31, '32, '33, '34, '35
Robert K. Devericks, county superintendent '11, '12, '13, '14, '15, '16
Geneva Dillon, elementary teacher '26, '27, '28

Helen (Hardman) Dillon, supervisor music and art '27, '28, '29, '30, '31, '32, '34, '36, '37, '38, '39, English '45
Bonnie Jean Duffey, elementary teacher '39, '40
Mary Dunlap, elementary teacher '58, '59, '60, '61
Verda Eastridge, high school teacher '33
Francis Eiler, high school teacher '35
Morton Ellis, elementary and junior high school teacher (mathematics and social studies) '50, '51, '52, '53, '54, '55, '56, '57, '58, '59, '60, '61
John Emerick, high school teacher (mathematics, physical education and social studies) '43, '46
Charles Emrick, high school teacher (band, social studies and music) '40, '41, '42, '44, '45, '46, '47, '48
Florence Emrick, high school teacher (home economics, physical education and health) '44, '52, '53, '54, '55, '56, '57, '58
John Faust, trustee, '59, '60, '61
Lois Felder, high school teacher (English and history) '42
David Felix, high school teacher (physical education, health, shop) coach, '47, '48, '49
Grace Frame, elementary teacher, '26, '31, '32, '33, '34, '35, '36, '37, '38, '39
Floyd Garrison, high school teacher '24, '25
Lizzie Garrison, elementary teacher '89
Paul Gillespie, high school teacher (mathematics and social studies) '32, '33, '34, '35, '36, '37 '38
Smith Glass, elementary and high school teacher '30, '31, '32, '33, '34, '35, '36, '37, '38, '39, '40, '41, '42, '43, '44, '45, '46, '47, '48
Neil Good, county superintendent '29, '30, '31, '32, '33, '34, '35, '36
Helen Greenleaf, high school teacher (Spanish and English) '59, '60
Phyllis Grossman, elementary teacher '55
Harold Grossnickle, high school teacher (shop) '57, '58, '59
Alice (Sutton) Guyer, elementary teacher '35, '36, '37, '38, '39, '40, '41, '42, '43, '44, '45, '58, '59, '60, '61
Seward Gwaltney, high school principal '27, '28, '29, '30
Fern D. Ham, elementary teacher '15, '16, '17
Henry Hayes, high school teacher (Driver training, English, and social studies) '57, '58
J. L. Henderson, school superintendent '13, '14, '15, '16
Della Hill, elementary teacher '05, '06, '07, '08, '09, '10, '11, '12, '13, '14, '15, '16, '17, '18, '19, '20, '21, '24, '25, '26, '27, '28, '29, '30, '31, '32, '33, '34, '35, '36, '37, '38, '39
Howard Hill, high school teacher '31, '32
Philip Hofherr, high school teacher (English and Latin) '41, '42
Grace Howard, elementary teacher '15, '16, '17, '18
Mary Florence Howe, high school teacher (commerce, home economics, and physical education) '36, '37, '38
Eva Hubbard, elementary teacher '89, '06, '07, '12, '13, '14, '15, '16 (also assistant principal), high school teacher (English, Latin, Civics) '20, '21, '22, '23, '24, '25, '26, '27, '28, '29, '30, '31, '32, '33, '34, '35, '36, '37, '38, '39, '40, '41, '42, '43, '44
Jean Hubbard, high school teacher '30
W. M. Hubbard, elementary principal '89, '05, '07
Mozelle (Smith) Humbert, high school teacher '43, '44, '45
Robert Humbert, high school teacher (physics, chemistry, mathematics and social studies) '56, '57, '59, '60, '61
Lizzie Hunt, elementary teacher '89
Ira L. Huntington, superintendent of Metropolitan school district '59, '60, '61
H. A. Hutchins, elementary teacher '89
Lavon Jacobs, elementary teacher '31
Mazie Jennings, art teacher '13
H. G. Johnson, elementary teacher '89

Bobb Keaffaber, high school teacher (band, music) '58, '59, '60, '61
Edythe Kell, high school teacher (music, art and English) '40
Maxine Keller, elementary teacher '24
Alan Kiger, high school teacher (band, music) '57
Martha (Hubbard) Kirsch, elementary teacher '32, '33, '34, '35, '36, '37, '38, '39, '40, '41, '42, '43, '44, '45, '46, '47, '48, '49, '50, '51, '52, '53, '54, '55, '56, '57, '58, '59, '60, '61
Jean Kissinger, high school teacher (home economics, English and History) '45, '46,
Agnes Landis, high school teacher (Latin and English) '57, '58
Gertha Lavengood, music and art teacher '11
John W. Lewis, county superintendent '05, '06, '07, '08
M. B. Little, principal (history, science, agriculture) '32, '33, '34, '35, '36, '37, '38, '39, '40, '41, '42, '43
Blanche Louthain, high school teacher, (mathematics and science) '58
Effie Lynn, principal '11
Laura Lynn, elementary teacher '12, '13
Mary Lyons, elementary teacher '41, '42
Nancy Lutz, high school teacher (English) '60, '61
P. E. Mart, high school teacher '27, '28, '29, '30
Charles Martin, elementary teacher '05, '07, '08, '11, '13, '14, '15, '16
Helen Martin, elementary teacher '25
Thelma Marshall, elementary teacher '53, '54, '55, '56, '57, '58, '59, '60, '61
Elmer McCleary, high school teacher (mathematics and science) '53, '54
Ira McClurg, principal '57, '58, '59, '60, '61
Una McClurg, elementary teacher '51, '52, '53, '54, '56, '57, '58, '59, '60, '61
Joan (Devereaux) McKee, high school teacher (home economics, physical education and health) '59, '60, '61
Robert McKinley, trustee '52, '53, '54, '55, '56, '57, '58
Ida Morrison, elementary teacher '89
J. H. Morrow, elementary teacher '89
Rhoda Morrow, elementary teacher '05, '07, '08
Eleanor Murphy, high school teacher (English and Latin) '46, '47, '48, '49
Homer D. Myers, high school teacher '25
John D. Norman, high school teacher '26
Anna Overman, elementary teacher '14
Ann Owen, high school teacher (English and French)
Lee Owens, high school teacher and coach '41, '42
Irene Parker, high school teacher (English) '41
Mary Paul, elementary teacher '07, '08, '12
Edna Peebles, elementary teacher '50
E. L. Perkins, elementary teacher '89
Ella Perkins, elementary teacher '89
Paul Piety, elementary teacher '13, '14
Bert Plew, high school teacher (commerce) '39
Wilma (Lemon) Porter, high school teacher (English, art, music and physical education) '43, '48, '49, '50
Rex Price, high school teacher (English, social studies) '61
Geneva Rapp, elementary teacher '48, '49, '51, '52
Josephine Rapp, high school teacher '29, primary '30, '31
Blanche Richs, high school teacher '34
Verda Rivir, high school teacher '31, '32
E. E. Rogers, principal '89
Marie Romine, high school teacher '57, '58, '59, '60, '61
Rex Rudicel, elementary teacher '05, '07
Helen Rueff, high school teacher (home economics) '39
Annabell Ruppel, high school teacher (commerce) '41, '42
L. J. Sailors, principal '13, '14, '15, '16, high school teacher (Science and social studies) '45

Cecil Sanders, high school teacher (shop and social studies) '51, '52, '53
Garnet Scott, elementary teacher '61
Mary Scott, elementary teacher '08
Janis Shadinger, high school teacher (home economics, physical education) '50
Jerry Shaw, high school teacher and coach '59, '60, '61
Ruth (Pearson) Sheffield, elementary teacher '24, '25, '27, '28, '29, '30, '45, '46, '47, '48, '49, '50, '51, '52, '53, '54, '55, '56, '57, '58, '59, '60, '61
Robert Sheffer, high school teacher (mathematics and science) '52
Ethel Sholty, music teacher '14
Rachel Sigworth, music, art and chorus teacher '50
Sarah Sigworth, elementary teacher '50
Jewel Smedley, elementary teacher '44, '45, '46, '47, '48, '49
Prentice A. Smith, principal (mathematics) '55, '56
Ida Snyder, elementary teacher '89
Martha Speicher, junior high school teacher '27
George D. Spinks, elementary teacher '07, '08
Bessie Steele, elementary teacher '11
Kenneth Steelmon, high school teacher (English, health, social studies) '59, '60
Charles Steidle, high school teacher (mathematics, health and physical education) and coach '36, '51, '52, '53, '54, '55, '56, '57, '58
James B. Stephens , high school teacher, '28, '29, '30
Hazel Stephens, elementary teacher '24, '25
John Stoechinger, high school teacher (mathematics and science) '49, '50
Margaret Stout, elementary teacher '45
Marguerite Stremmel, elementary teacher '30, '31
Dorothy Stuber, music and art teacher '53, '54, '55, '56, '57, '58, '59, '60, '61
Warren Sunday, high school teacher (social studies, physical education), coach, 146
Earl Sutton, elementary teacher '08, assistant principal '11, high school teacher '31
Mrs. F. E. Sutton, elementary teacher '07
Bonnie (Rigney) Terry, elementary teacher '59, '60, '61
A. S. Thomas, elementary teacher '89, '05, '07
Bordean Thompson, high school teacher (home economics, physical education) '51
Charles W. Thompson, elementary teacher, '89
E. M. Thompson, trustee, '89
George Thompson, high school teacher (band) '49, '50, '51, '52, '53, '54
Chester E. Troyer, assistant principal '05, '07
Robert Tussey, high school teacher (commerce) '52, '53
Charles Tyler, elementary teacher '05
C. L. Vandegrift, county superintendent '37, '38, '39, '40, '41, '42, '43, '44, '45, '46, '47, '48, '49, '50, '51, '52, '53, '54, '55, '56, '57, '58, '59, '60, '61
Audrey Waggoner, elementary teacher '26, '27, '28
Chi Waggoner, elementary teacher '08, '12, '13
Sherman Waggoner, elementary teacher '13, '14, '15
Berl Waldrath, high school teacher (commerce) '54, '55, '56
Russell Walters, high school teacher and principal (Physical education, social studies, shop) '37, '38, '39, '40, '46, '47, '48, '49, '50
Elizabeth Waltz, high school teacher '28, '29
Bert Watson, elementary teacher '05
George Watson, elementary teacher '05
Goldie Watson, assistant principal '08
Gordon Watson, elementary teacher '14, '15, '16, '17
James Watson, elementary teacher '49
Robert Wehrly, high school teacher (commerce) '40
Howard Williams, superintendent '08, '11, '12, county superintendent '24, '25, '26, '27, '28
Vera Wilson, art teacher, '14
Ethel Wingard, elementary teacher '05, '06, '07, '08, '09, '10, '11, '12, '13
Olive Wingard, junior high school teacher '24, '25, '26

Sarah Woodring, elementary teacher '43, '44
Verl Woodring, high school teacher (history, biology, geography) '49, '50, '51, '52, '53, '54, '55, '56, '57, '58, '59, '60, '61
Addie Wright, high school teacher (home economics, social studies) '43, '44.
Edith Wright, elementary teacher '41, '42, '43, '44
Josephine Wylie, high school teacher '27, '28
Delila Wynant, high school teacher (home economics) '40
Hazel Young, elementary teacher '46, '47, '48, '49, '50, '51, '52, '53, '54, '55, '56, '57, '58, '59, '60, '61

NOTE:

Records are incomplete from 1889 through 1905 and from 1917 through 1924.

La Fontaine Graduates

1891-1899

Only 25 students were graduated from LaFontaine High School between 1891 and 1899. Some of these are shown in the alumni picture of 1900.

1891

Emma Logan Dillon

1892

Wellman Bruner

1893

Homer Black, Herman Blackman, Meda Critchlow Hubbard, Nelle Harper Holderbaum, Anna Moffet Odgers, Stella Vandegrift Logan.

1894-1895

No class

1896

Charles Badger, Charles Martin, Daisy Perkins Smith, Meda Perkins.

1897

No class

1898

Robert K. Devericks, Grace Hubbard Brane, Rhoda Morrow Stremmel.

1899

Charles Banks, Lizzie Bannister Crawford, Joe Bloomer, Clayton Botkin, Kate Miller Haines, Will Moore, Harry M. Poston, Fred Sutton, Charles Tyler, Ned Waite.

1900-1909

1900

Dewitt Brane, Warder Crow, Gus Thompson.

1901

Leroy Calloway, Marguerite Maxey, Charles Moore, Ernest Paullus, Amanda Spence Ridenour.

1902

Clarence Mason, Fred Bloomer, Lawrence Neff, Georgia Harper Hunt Next individuals in picture are Eva Hubbard and William Hubbard, teacher and principal, Fae McNeil Harris.

1903

Clarence Gatrel, Golda Blood Mason, Jesse Johnson, Kenneth Parker, Clarence Neff, Chester Troyer.

1904

No class

1905

Pearl Boswell Bloom, Alva Brane, Sherman Devericks, Warren Dicken, Jesse Grant, Ed Guenin, Rex Rudicel, Ethel Wingard Sailors.

1906

Goldie Siders Enyeart, George Spinks, Mary Paul. In the picture, these are the 2nd, 3rd and 4th persons from the left in the third row from the top.

1907

Alta Jeffery Thomas, (Chester Troyer, teacher), Mary Scott Waggoner, Eva Clark Broadie, Alva Watson, Nettie Hamilton Hill, Cleo Hamilton Troyer, Earl Sutton, Floy Hubbard Bloomer, (William Hubbard, principal), Vesta Morrow Piety, Chi Waggoner, Bessie Steele Myers.

1908

Louise Coon Sumpter, Leona Crow Goodpasture, Levi Martin, Edith Paul Rothinghouse, Nell Paul Banister, May Richardson Kennedy, Quincey Waggoner, Julia Williams Baker.

1909

Kitty Bannister Bartholomew, John Bloomer, Verla Brane Davis, Alta Hoggatt Hummel, Ray Howard, Florence Lynn Spinks, Kate Parker Duffey, Warren Replogle, Claudia Stands, Ruth Stoner Roberts.

Class of 1900

DeWitt Brane

Warder Crow

Gus Thompson

Alumni of 1900

Gus Thompson, Rhoda Stremmel, Nelli Holdenbaum, Neda Hubbard, Joe Bloomer, Harry Poston, Kate Haynes, Charlie Banks, William Hubbard, Lizzie Crawford, Grace Brane, Dewitt Brane, Charles Tyler, Fred Sutton, Will Moore, Stella Logan, Robert Devericks.

Alumni of 1902

Class of 1902

1906

1907

1909

1910

1910-1919

The decade of World War I saw the graduation of 83 seniors from LaFontaine High School.

1910

Laurence Blood, Bessie Bloomer Gurtner, James Brock, Harold Replogle, Ned Rudicel, Alva Troyer, Cleo Wilson Bowman.

1911

Sarah Badger Bichacoff, Ernest Alexander, Joe Sterling, Paul Piety.

1912

James Badger, Raymond Brane, Floyd Garrison, Garl Hollett, Wilbur Hummel, Ethel Sailors Rinker, Myrtle Snyder Hill, Lottie Waggoner Troyer.

1913

Lola Crawley Smith, Reva Howard, Robert Howard, Dwight Painter, Louise Sailors Hollett, Walter Stands.

1914

Grace Howard Stands, Wilbur Giltner, Ethel Smith Howard, Myrtle Bantham Gooder, Gordon Watson, Jeanette Miller Humrichouser.

1915

Marianna Bannister Mossman, Jesse Dillon, Fern Ham Cunningham, Byron Henderson, Ray Mossman, Vera Painter Burr, Faye Renbarger Warnock, Ruby Sweet Boulboulle, Louise Wright Spence.

1916

Ruth Clark Waggoner, Charlotte Harper Green, Mabel Lawson Thomas, Kenneth Morris, Maizie Morrow Johns, Lawrence Pogue, Hazel Smart Sprong, Ethel Sparks Piper.

1917

Merle Wilson Sparks, Grace Ham Myers, Cecil Garrison, Ferol Brane Reed, Audrey Wingard Shaw, Floyd Piety, Polly Waggoner, Izola Silvers Thomas, Robert Mossman, Hazel Stephens Young, Helen Geyer Wehrmeyer, Warren Brane, Clara Thomas Hock, Beatrice Walters, Clarence Henderson, Ercie Dillon Harrell.

1918

Erma Akers, Bonnie Henderson Oberholtzer, Bessie Landreth, Otho Martin, Vernetta Martin Harrigan, Charlotte McVicker Vickery.

1919

Dessie Warren Stuber, Russell Hardman, Thelma Sailors Morris, Henry Snyder, Pauline Stevens Furnish, Lawrence Morris, Monelle Sutton Ridenour, Leroy Whiteside, Agnes Renbarger, Howard Wiley, Miriam Cloud, Robert Pearson, Mary Young Troub.

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1911

1914

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1917

1919

1920-1929

In the decade from 1920 to 1930, 140 persons graduated from LaFontaine High School.

1920

Hazel Benson Voris, Russell Cook, Leatha Shaffer Dunn, Lillian Geyer Engle, Don Dillon, Marie Rennaker, Donald Hubbard, Leila Martin Snyder, Karl Dicken, Audrey Waggoner McCullough, Alfred Landreth, Arza Tyner, Ruth Pearson Sheffield.

1921

Olive Wingard Carlson, Claude Sutton, Grace Frame Heine, Vera Forrester Gehle, Anna Hoch Sutton, Clark Morrow, Lois Martin Sundheimer.

1922

Genevieve Pownell Davis, Georgia Sparks Wilcox, Ruth Sailors Clupper, Helen Stair Silvers, Ted Stair, Bertha Garrison Lamberson, Harry Ellis, Ruth Barrick Stephens, Russell Sailors, Clifford Stephens, Anna Crawford, Walter Thompson.

1923

Walter Miltenberger, Helen Grant, Florin Calloway, Stanley Brown, Ralph Clark, Arminda Thompson Fisher, Everett Taylor, Lemoine Miltenberger, Wayne Ellis, Paul Clupper, Josephine Wiley Rapp, Wilbur Mossman, Mildred Rennaker Matthews, Dorothy Parker Stuber, John Martin, Agnes Mattox Rapp.

1924

James Thomas, Christine Grant Curless, Lowell Rivir, Anna Watson, Harold Neff, Helen Slusser Thompson, Paul Finkenbiner, Herbert Lees, Ruth Thompson Cuppey, Verlin Deeter, Helen Martin Fish, Robert Crawford, Helen Hardman Dillon, Pearl Hussey.

1925

Fletcher Miller, Georgia Helms Mossman, Mildred Neff Kelley, J. B. Stephens, Lola Slusser Vice, Geneva Dillon Rapp, Avis Clark Metzger, Ross Mossman, Helen Haggerty Pontius, Marry Morrow Rife, Theresa Lithe Frizermore, Lloyd Young, Ruth Brane Bair, Grover Clouser, Thelma Martin Young, Hazel Porter Howard.

1926

Lucille Hammond Stevens, Lawrence Stroup, Frederick Harvey, Byron Troyer, Harley Ramsey, Amanda Sutton Tinkle, Charlotte Mendenhall Cooper, Howard Hill, Verda Rivir Eastbridge, Cyrus Thompson, Ruth Martin Martin, Mae Stair Heiser, Martin Shaw, Robert Martin, Robert Siders, Oliver Clark, Helen Crumley Troxell.

1927

Charles Dillon, Russell Brane, Ethel Jones Tinkle, Leslie Replogle, Richard Hill, Marjorie Taylor Best, Verta Helms Newboldt, Opal Forrester Wiley, Orville Ramsey, Raymond Dillon, John Hubbard, Susanna Thompson Brane, Wayne Martin, Stuart Shenefield.

1928

Vernon Armstrong, Ernest Calendar, Donald Calfee, Audrey Clark Engleman, Mary Clark Apple, Martha Haggerty Kroll, Anna Hoggatt Haulfein, Josephine McVicker, Mary McVicker, Marguerite Stremmel Hill, Wava Thomas Davis, Eugene Troyer, Freida Young Williams.

1929

Mildred Crawford McFarland, Lucile Thomas Neher, Marcella Thomas Gray, Oren Hardman, Doris Martin Nelson, Ida Harper Lynch, Martha Hubbard Kirsch, Elizabeth Garrison Howard, Harold McFarland, Elizabeth Hammond Creek, Russell Thompson, Sydney Hussey, Alberta McPhilliamy Paullus, Anna Andrews Portenheismer, Milo Waggoner, Marjorie Shaw Harrell, Freda Calloway Hiatt, Edith Thompson Harrison.

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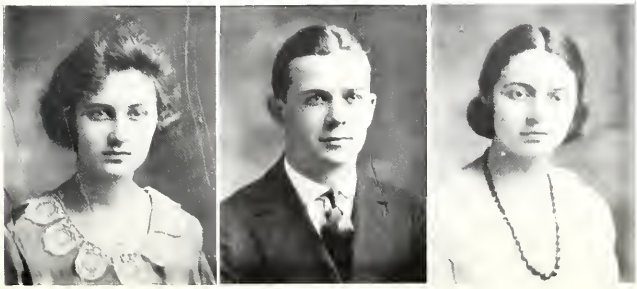
1920

1921



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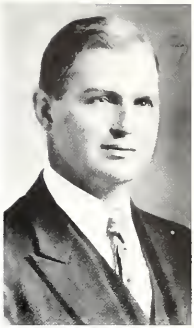

Seward Gwaltney
Principal
1928-1931

1930-1939

During the 1930's La Fontaine graduated 213 seniors.

1930

Catherine McFarland Miller, Roger Haggerty, Estil Bowman, Alice Sutton Guyer, Margaret Brubaker Stout, Ernest Jones, Juanita Tyler Young, Blanche Hardman Ramsey, Trelle Helms, Gladys Hussey Fagen, Helen Stephens Haynes, Leonard Blickenstaff, Max Martin, Nondus Martin Hill, Evelyn Pressler Gray.

1931

Odlin Taylor, Alpha Speicher Alexander, Loral Gwaltney, Lilian Bowman Donnelly, Russell Forrester, Thelma Stair Leaming, Morris Roberts, Joanna Cooper Allman, Ralph Troyer, Harley Sutton, Margaret Shaffer Haggerty, Robert Cooper, Nina Hill Kumley, Earl Thomas.

1932

Clarence Neff, Esther Helms Hiatt, Maxine Whitcraft Smith, Hubert Sutton, Dorothy Calfee Smith, Howard Enyeart, Benjamin Blood, Susanna Shenefield Pressler, Robert White, Annabelle Clupper Pressler, Charlotte Logan Bowman, Howard Clark, Lottie Silvers Draper, Helen Marks Marley, Harriett Covalt Lower, Geneva Reed Fager, Robert Kirtley, Mary Alice Draper, Loren Davis, Merritt Jones, Joanna Harper Buzzetti, Carl Benbow.

1933

Marjorie Benbow Yancey, Jeanette Bowman Fisher, Mabel Cecil Herron, Margaret Cooper Strong, Doris Davis Kurtz, Raymond Eller, James Ellis, Ruth Eltzroth Green, Bruce Brubaker, Gilbert Clark, Ruth Hummel Hoggatt, Alice Enyeart Baldwin, Lewis Fox, Carl Haggerty, Fern Lynch Eades, Cecil Shaffer, Alfred Siders, Myrl Stair Templeton, Helen Smith Fox, Mauldred Stremmel Bowman, Charles Troyer, Robert Waggoner, Maxwell Bowman.

1934

Chester Cooper, Dorothy Garrison Shambaugh, Homer Cecil, Ethel Siders, Earle Jones, Donna Grant Myers, Virgiana Gurtner Black, Mary Haggerty Sigler, Kathleen Hunter, Bernice Maple Schaid, Lois Moore Sumpter, Helen White Roser, Mary Carter Grant, Norman Enyeart, Robert Foust, Woodrow Rennaker, Edith Sutton Robbins, Wilma Templeton Cox, Marjorie Waggoner Leckrone, Robert Weimer.

1935

Paul Wright, Martha Walker, Lawrence Guenin, Lawrence Troyer, Nedra Siders Wood, Edwin Reed, Una Thompson McClurg, Clyde Martin, Olive Schottlekorb Whitmore, Virgil Manning, Edna Hummel Kemmer, Mary Cooper Wright, Irving Rennaker, Oren Clark, Jr., Virginia Waggoner Fansler, Collins Fiscus, Evelyn Carter Thornburg, Ervin Garrison, Charlotte Black Speicher, Dick Duffey, Ivan Brane.

1936

Donald Edwards, Pauline Cecil Guinnip, George Silvers, John Crawford, Arthur Grimm, Mary Crumrine Goodpasture, Ruby Smith Cross, Elizabeth Lines Chenoweth, William Voke, Hilma Dalrymple Weesner, Richard Goodpasture, Clifton Burnsworth, Lavonia Kerr, James Blood, Joanna Brubaker Aiman, James Whitcraft, Aubra Jacobs, Coral Jeffery Scott, John Guenin, Mary Thomas, Dale Brubaker, Lloyd Brubaker, Ellen Davis Sheeley, James Cooper.

1937

Donald Bailey, Cecil Benson, Charline Hardman Swain, Bonnie Duffey Walters, Janet Blood Renbarger, Henry Cramer, Betty Covalt Pence, Robert Bowman, Verla Brubaker Baker, Elsie Getz Perch, Martha Getz Davis, Eugene Connelly, Faith Deeter Copeland, Robert Lynch, Mildred Eller Hammond, Bernard Haggerty, Saul Haggerty, Ruthanna Hudlow Gilpin, Robert McKay, Sarah Lambert Baxter, Helen McGraw Finkenbiner, Elizabeth McKinley Keiffaber, Minnie Pence Garrison, John McVicker, John Neff, Katie Siders Airwood, Helen Spence Haggerty, Betty Stevens Smith.

1938

Robert Briggs, Wilba Eppley McGinnis, Wayne Guenin, Della Grimm Kem, Bonnie Dalrymple Oberhoulser, Robert Clark, Betty Hoke Harper, Ben Ervin, Virginia Jacobs, Mabel Miller Unger, Howard Harper, Harry McKay, Lemonine Rennaker, Bill Pullen, Loy Sutton, Dee Shaffer, Charles Wright.

1939

Paul Vickery, Alice Weaver Runyon, Ashby Getz, Jr., Ruth Fisher Smith, Eugene Lobdell, Betty Arven Martin, Wayne Brubaker, Seany Siders, Ben Stands, Lois Watson Spencer, Elizabeth Marvin Grey, Russell Crumrine, Betty Pullen Custer, Phoebe Brubaker Thrush, George Harper, Georgianna Hill, Norman Enyeart, Ruby Houser McGinnis, Esther Howell Kendall, Marvin Pressler, Maxine Shideler Cain, Charles Whitcraft, Marvin Hudson, Marguerite Troyer Guenin, Virginia Ranck Pressler, Ruth Blood, Russell Weaver, Thomas Weimer.

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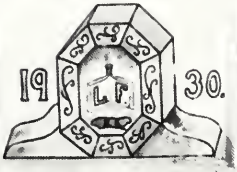

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Hubert Sutton

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Howard Enyeart

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La Fontaine H-S 1932

Susannah Shendalla

Robert White

Annabelle Clapper

Charlotte M. Logan

Howard Clark

Lottie Silvers

Helen L. Marks

Harrell Cavall

Geneva Reed

Robert Astley

Mary Alice Draper

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La Fountaine High School

IF WE REST, WE RUST

SENIOR CLASS

19 33

NATIONAL STUDIOS

HELEN I. SMITH

MAULDRED STREMMEL

CECIL W. SHAFFER

CHARLES R. TROVER

Dorothy McGarrison
Homer Cecil Jr
V.Pres.
Ethel Mae Siders
President
Earle B Jones
Sec.-Treas
Dorothy Dinnaturant
Kathleen Louise Hunter
Bernice G Maple
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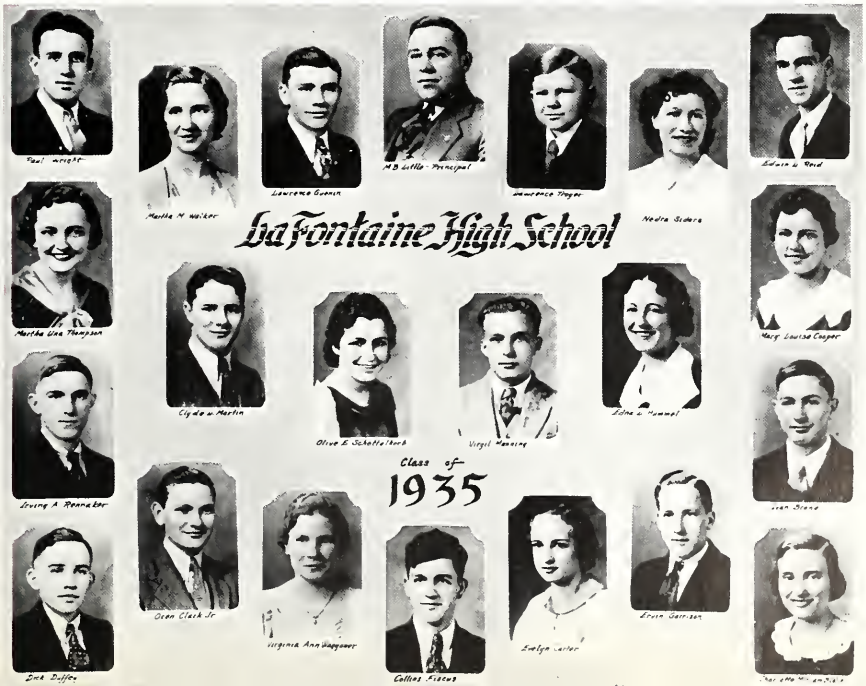
M.B. Little, Principal
Norman Enyeart
Wilma Templeton
Marjorie F. Waggoner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Jean Stone
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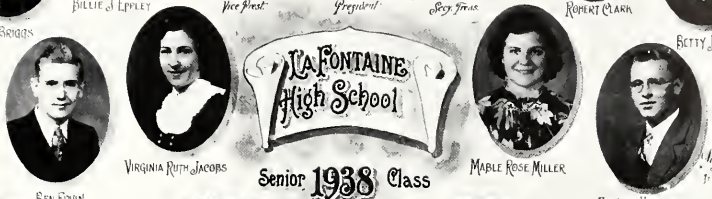

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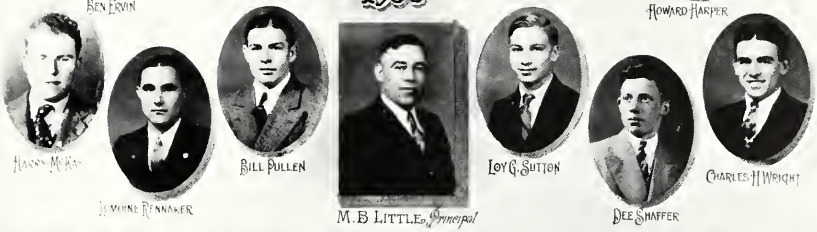
Senior 1938 Class



LA FONTAINE H.S. CLASS OF 1939

1940-1949

During the war years many LaFontaine graduates saw service overseas. Graduates from 1940 to 1950 totaled 210.

1940

William Goodpasture, Lauretta Frantz Parr, Robert Smallwood, James Martin, Joanna Ranck Clupper, Paul King, Marcella Fox Guerin, Ellen Harrell, Evelyn Jones Geyer, Virginia Little Shugart, Burneda Lynch Bechtol, Evelyn Marks Williams, Junior Lane, Susan Palmer Shaw, Marie Shafer DeVault, Grover Rogers, Ellen Sailors Craven, Ellen Stanley Stanley, Frances Stair Lane, Lois Sutton Guenin, Dorothy Werner Kamp.

1941

Helen Cook Smith, Max Brubaker, Ruey Marks Albright, Donald Stanley, Lois Cooper Rosselle, Richard Eppley, Martha Cooper Rumple, Rosalie Enyeart Whitton, Marcus Enyeart, Betty Frank Faust, Josephine Palmer Fordyce, William Guenin, Betty Templeton Faust, Tom Hardman, Mary VanLandingham Howard, John Miller, Robert Miller, Betty Jo Weimer McKinney, I. J. Jones, Everett Kerr, Joe McCray, Lawrence Sailors, Max Stevens, Kathleen Williams Thompson, Don Stoddard.

1942

Joe Roof, Elizabeth Working Warner, Landess Armstrong, Norman Hill, Betty Weaver Copeland, Robert Pressler, Walter Mendenhall, Robert Benson, Betty Marks Pattison, William Cain, Barbara Stands Highfill, William Walker, Alan Sailors, Blanche Smith McCoy, Wilma Pogue Lynch, Harold Crumrine, Orlin Miller, Ruthanna Logan Goins, Betty Harrell Stair, Joe Scott, Donald Siders.

1943

Edna Howell Cox, Alvin Silvers, Betty Shideler Kay, Velma Frank Jones, Roger Ranck, Ruthanna Templeton, Robert Green, Roscoe Weaver, David Helms, Frank Gillespie, Loreen Wilson Breedlove, Philip Mendenhall, James Marks, Wilma Arven Guenin, Jerry Martin, Thurl Howell, Ruth Sterling Summers, Gene Edwards, Jacqueline Little Lord, William Fetrow, Laura Lamb Scott, Adrian Getz, Joan Whitcraft Bell, Joseph Ryder, Clyde Hoke, John Thompson.

1944

Wallace Thompson, Dorothy Howard Williams, Guy McCray, Donald Howard, William Jacobs, Pauline Shideler Holland, Melvin Heck, Paul Weimer, Betty Cain, Doyte Grossman, Archie Ferguson, Jr., Marilyn Marks Chenoweth, Mary Sterling Stepp, Charles Bowman, Edwin White, Jr. Lillian Howard McClellan, Charles Cooper, Catherine Walker Edwards, James Sprong.

1945

James Sailors, Wanda Matthews Wilhelm, Joan Lobdell Grant, Gene Smith, Maxine Cook Pilgrim, Ruth Williams Powell, Max Miltenberger, Marybelle Davis Board, Warren Walmer, Doris Dalrymple McIllwaine, Donald Reed, Jane Young Hollinger, Lowell Harrell, Hazel Lamb Hoke, Ruthanna Rapp Summers, Walter McCray, Evelyn Myers Guyer, Mary Templeton Powell, Barbara Brane Cokl, Lucille Dumphy Wasen, Joyce Ralston Packard, Mary Lynch Shatto.

1946

Myron Heck, Betty Van Ness Winterode, Dudley Huber, Thomas Marks, Eileen Weaver Silvers, Martha Johns Chambers, Helen Futrell Rhoades, Shirley Young Benner, Miriam Thompson Cox, Jimmy Thompson, Esther Shaffer Hardt Lines, George Rapp, Jr., John Murphy, Peggy Martin Sweet, Bill Hill, Virginia Smallwood Mart, Carol Sutton Barnett, Kathleen Pressler Daywalt, Robert Shatto, Donald Jacobs, John Waggoner, Miriam Bowman Wright, William Preston, Darwin Miller.

1947

Von Ulshafer, Marjorie Pattison Whitehead, Robert Clupper, Frederick Arven, Lorene Silvers Clupper, Mary Van Ness Murray, Edna Futrell, Phyllis Watson Hayes, Miriam Smith Young, Mary Ellen Heiser Smith, Reba Ulshafer Jacobs, James Walker, Betty Matthews Watson, Richard Weaver, Wilma Ogan Hurt, Dolores Thompson Snyder.

1948

Lois Silvers, Donnabelle Grossman Moore, Ralph Mendenhall, Loren Howard, Lenore Richards Durey, Eleanor Haggerty Parrish, Robert Matthews, Joanna White Ranck, Mildred Tinkel Green, Donald Coldren, Rosalind Sutton Smith, Don Shenefield, Glenna Harrell Pogue, Mary McCray Stair, Eugene Cloud.

1949

Herman Jacobs, Richard Retherford, Maxine Silvers Scott, Pauline Tinkel Rapp, Charles Bowman, Jack Marks, Robert Young, Lois Jean Roberts Templeton, Leo Futrell, Jr., Ruth Ann Dillon Davis, H. Cary Keating, Morris Milliner, Joseph Waggoner, Paul Rapp, Lewis Smith, Doris McCollister Working, John King, Norman Johnson, Barbara Jo Rogers Hiatt, John Whitcraft, Ralph Heiser.

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HELEN COOK
MAX SHUBAKER
RUEY MAE MARKS Vice Pres
DONALD M. STANLEY Pres
LOIS COOPER Sec'y Treas
DICK EPPLEY
MARTHA COOPER
ROSALIE ENYEART
MARCUS ENYEART
BETTY L. FRANK
JOSEPHINE PALMER
BILL QUEKIN
BETTY TEMPLETON
TOM HARLMAN
MARY VANLANDINGHAM
JOHN MILLER
ROBERT MILLER
BETTY JO WEIMER
J. J. JONES
LAWRENCE LEE SAILORS
M. B. LITTLE Principal
MAX STEVENS
KATHLEEN WILLIAMS
JOE E. COOK
ELIZABETH WORLINGS
LANDELL E. ARMSTRONG
M. B. LITTLE - PRIN -
NORMAN HILL
BETTIE LOUISE WEAVER
ROBERT PRESSLER
WALTER MENDENHALL JR
ROBERT ROY BENSON
BETTY JEAN MARKS - V PRES
WILLIAM F. CAIN - PRES
BARBARA SHADE - SEC TREAS
WILLIAM D. WALKER
BUD SAILORS
BLANCHE SMITH
LA FONTAINE H.S.
CLASS OF 1942
WILMA JEAN POGUE
ORVIN L. MILLER
RUTHANA LOGAN
BETTY V. HARRELL
JOE SCOTT
DONALD SIDERS

LaFontaine
1943
Velma Frank
Roger Karler
David D. Helms
Frank W. Gillette
William E. Petrow
Laura Mattie Lamb
Adrian Getz
Joan Whitcraft
Joseph W. Sobek

Class of 1944
La Fontaine H.S.

WANDA MATHEWS

JOAN LOBDELL

GENE SMITH

WAXINE COOK

RUTH WILLIAMS

MAX L. WILTENSBURGER

WARREN P. WALMER - PRES.

DORIS BRATTAIN - SEC. TREAS.

RONALD A. REED - V. PRES.

JANE YOUNG

HAZEL LAMB

IN MEMORIAM

SUSAN SNYDER RICHARD GLUPKER

LA FONTAINE

HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1945

RUTH ANNA RAPP

WALTER LEE MCCRAY

BARBARA BRANE

JOYCE RALSTON

MYRON HECK

BETTY VAN NESS

DUDLEY HUBER - PRES.

THOMAS WALKER - REPORTER

EILEEN WEAVER

La Fontaine High School

SENIOR 1946 CLASS

MARTHA JOHNS

HELEN FUTRELL

SHIRLEY YOUNG

MIRIAM THOMPSON

JIMMIE THOMPSON

ESTHER SHAFFER

GEORGE BATE

JOHN MURPHY

PEGGY JO MARTIN

BILL HILL

BRONNA SMALLWOOD

CAROL SUTTON

KATHLEEN FOESSLER

ROBERT SHATTO

DONALD JACOBS

JOHN WAGGONER

MIRIAM BOWMAN

BILL FOESTON

DARWIN MILLER

RUSSELL WALTERS
ROBERT CLUFFE
FREDRICK ARVEN
E LORENE SILVERS
La Fontaine High School
SENIOR 1947 CLASS
ELANA M. FUTRELL
PHYLLIS D. WATSON
MIRIAM SMITH
MARY ELLEN HEISER
REBA M. ULSHAFER
WILMA JANE OGAN

1950-1961

The years from 1950 to 1962 saw the graduation of 306 seniors, the addition of a new wing to the building, and a disastrous fire which completely destroyed the original building and its contents. Nevertheless, school was continued in the unburned portion, at Lincolnville and at Noble with temporary facilities in the LaFontaine Christian and Methodist churches, the Wabash Church of our Saviour, and in Somerset school.

1950

Lillian Preston Bloxson, Louise Heiser Sheetz, Norman Saul, Janice Coon Shenefield, Herman Spiker, Marjorie Clark Jacobs, Delight Weaver Hambene, Louise Cross, Dee Wearly, Joan Pogue Barton, Fred Haggerty, Jeannie Boyer Shanks, Sally Kendall Arvin, Ruth Schoby Martin, Elaine Melick Stout, Frances Shafer Cook, Leon Henry, Arthur Kendall, Marilyn Mendenhall Waggoner.

1951

Jerry Shenefield, Donald Working, Charles Faust, Robert Dawes, Marilyn Hoch Bird, Wilma Miller, Terrel, Barbara Henry Everling, Bonnie Cunningham Wilson, Doris Silvers Bargerhoff, Jean Clark Whitley, Miriam Sheffield Haynes, James Haynes, Patty Rogers Carver, Phyllis McCollister Bowman, Ronald Retherford, Fred Cullar, Betty Thompson Crull, Anna Haggerty Wells, Jerry Sellers, Doris Hoch Gebhard.

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1952

Jack Sellers, Darlene Holtzclaw Turner, Max Gilbert, Donald Dillon, Susan Marks, Paul Brane, Ann Shenefield Miltenberger, William Hunt, Robert Sloop, Eva Enyeart Anderson, Edwin O'Banion, Sally Lamb Schafer, Carmen Milliner, Ralph Dawes, Merlin Fager, Jr., Barbara Grim Unger, Buddy King, James Brubaker, James Eppley, Charles Taylor.

1953

James Burgen, Paul Fogel, John Gillespie, Jessie Haggerty Bollet, Robert Johns, Richard King, Richard Luckey, Ronald Martin, Merle Melick, Donna Mendenhall McCarthy, Sherry Miller Clark, Von Milliner, Gene Murphy, Barbara McCollister Sollars, Eloise Preston Working, Lois Jean Pogue, Norman Sollars, Rebecca Stanley Binkard, Eldon Stevens, Donald Weaver.

1954

Janice Cooper Dawes, Kenneth Rogers, Jerry Shaw, Charles Voyles, Marilyn Gilbert Komechack, Richard Thompson, Sharon Pell Tash, John R. Brane, David Owen, Nancy Jervis Campbell, Carl Cloud, Terry Martin, Donna Dailey Dillon, Caroline Floyd Bowman, Leland Weaver, Annabelle King, William O'Banion, Jane Fager Kraus, James Sellers, Dale Hullinger.

1955

Larry Kendall, Shirley Thompson, Donald Owen, Ronnie Taylor, Jerry Hill, Don Rapp, Wilbur Haggerty, Eva Stevens Booher, Bonnie Rigney, Donald Stevens, Lemoine Enyeart, Kay Thompson White, Philip Floyd, Catherine King Marks, Vernon Henry, Carmen Melick Cole.

1956

Freda Moorman Smelser, Dana Sutton Hickman, Jon Cooper, Dixie Endsley Mercer, Allen Owen, Zana McClurg Fields, William McCullough, Robert Eppley, Marilyn Kistler Bullock, Phyllis Faust Kruczek, Patricia Brown Moyer, Joyce Rapp Cullar, Robert Smith, Dixie Brown Shearer, Lewis Martin, Judith Harper Martin, Sherman Grim, Evelyn Hall Owen, Don Jervis, Jerry Kendall, Jeanette Cable Thompson, Stanley Owen, Phyllis Gauntt Minton, David Rogers, Lavon Melick Wert, Larry Jennings, Marguerite Allen Wells.

1957

Richard Charles, Roger Faust, John P. Brane, Rita Endsley Miller, Floranna Fogel Gillespie, Ronald L. Burgess, Claude Brane, Phyllis Taylor Steidle, Boyd Hiner, Morris Sprong, Joan Stevens Henderson, Edna Haggerty Whitton, John Fager, Sandra Pell, Peggy Bragg, Roberta Retherford Coleman, Jerry Brown, Sandra Harrell Peck, Max Waggoner, Peggy Dice Thomas, Richard Sailors, Charlene Mendenhall, Mary Dee Haggerty Way, Shirley Enyeart, Dixie Martin, Edward Haggerty.

1958

Larry Jervis, Charles Steidle, Larry Floyd, Robert Stewart, Philip Speicher, Janice Eppley Grossnickle, Donald Brane, Ruby Hollenback Harrell, Pearl Neussendorfer, William Lines, Shirley Keiffer, Herman Enyeart, Larry Cooper, Patrick O'Banion, Doris Webb Enyeart, Judith Walters Forrester.

1959

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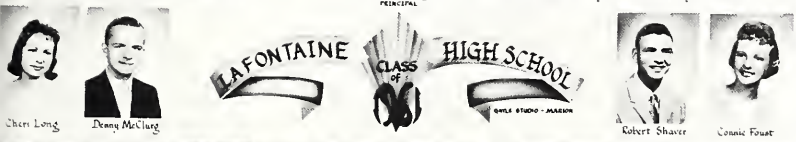

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